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September 27, 2019

The Honorable William F. Martin Mayor of Greenfield 14 Court Square Greenfield, MA 01301

Dear Mayor Martin:

Thank you for your letter in support of the city of Greenfield's application to the Commonwealth of Massachusetts' Vacant Storefront Initiative. This is to inform you that at their September 19, 2019 board meeting, the Economic Assistance Coordinating Council (EACC) voted to approve the city's application as a Certified Vacant Storefront District. Welcome to the program!

We look forward to working closely with the city in the future to keep its commercial business district thriving!

Sincerely,

Annamarie Kersten

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